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STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

The First National Bank OF BRYAN

At the close of business April 6, 1906

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts.....\$274,232.84	Capital Stock ..\$100,000.00
U. S. Bonds and Premiums... 52,200.00	Surplus Fund... 25,000.00
Stocks, Securities Etc..... 192.00	Undivided Profits..... 20,282.44
Real Estate, Furniture, Etc.. 9,500.00	Circulation 46,600.00
Expense Account 3,470.01	DEPOSITS..... 414,289.50
CASH..... 266,577.09	
Total.. \$606,171.94	Total.. \$606,171.94

I, H. O. Boatwright, Vice President of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

H. O. BOATWRIGHT, Vice President.

Correct Attest:

J. W. HOWELL
L. L. McINNIS
GUY M. BRYAN, JR., } Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of April, 1906.
W. C. DAVIS,
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TEN AMERICANS HELD

Taken From Fishing Smack Sallie Sterns by Mexicans.

PLACED IN A PRISON.

Manager Munn Notified Senator Culberson and the Matter Is Now Under Investigation by State Department.

Galveston, May 3.—Manager Munn of the Gulf Fisheries company of this city received dispatches from the Warren Fish company of Pensacola, Fla., stating that the firm had just received word from the crew of the fishing smack Sallie Sterns, seized by the Mexican gunboat Thursday last, stating that ten men were taken from the schooner and were held in prison and communication with the American consul absolutely denied them. The cargo of fish in the meantime is rotting.

Manager Munn succeeded in getting a cable to the captain of his company's detained smack taken at the same time the Pensacola and Mobile boats were seized, but nothing can now be learned from the officer, and it is feared his crew have also been tarrown into prison and denied communication with the American consul.

Manager Munn has communicated with Senator Culberson and requested him to reach the state department and secure the necessary action, though nothing has been heard for several days from Washington. All the boats were well filled with fish when seized, and the losses will be quite heavy on the cargoes alone.

MATTER TAKEN UP.

Senator Culberson So Informed by the State Department.

Washington, May 3.—The action of the Mexican government in stopping American fishing vessels off the coast of Yucatan is now the subject of telegraphic correspondence between the state department and the American embassy at the City of Mexico. Ambassador Thompson telegraphed:

"Information so far received from Progresso so indefinite that it is of little value. Three vessels are now under arrest at Progresso. The Mexican government says that American poachers have long been working in Mexican waters, and have been warned ineffectually, making their arrest necessary. Trying to arrange for the relief of the vessels after bodily, pending investigation."

Senator Culberson has been informed of the receipt of this dispatch in view of his inquiry relative to the reported search of two Galveston fishing boats by Mexican officials.

TREATED LIKE PIRATES.

Bodies Reeking With Vermin and in Need of Food.

Pensacola, Fla., May 3.—According to a letter received here from the captain of the Sallie Sterns, captured by a Mexican warship off the coast of Yucatan April 16, the crew is in jail at Progresso, covered with vermin and half dead for the want of food. Cause of seizure is that vessel had no license to fish in Mexican waters. The letter says the men are treated like pirates.

CROP REPORTS.

Termed Guessing System and Also Speculative Football.

Washington, May 3.—After denouncing the government correspondent, and more particularly the reports of agriculture, and passing a resolution advocating that the statistical cotton year should run from Aug. 1 to Aug. 1, the international cotton conference adjourned to reassemble next year, should it be deemed advisable by the various organizations to do so. It was found that the delegates were not clothed with sufficient authority to effect a permanent organization.

When the subject of governmental crop reports came up President McColl spoke in commendation of the census bureau work, but felt that some radical changes in the methods of the agricultural department should be made. President ordan of the Southern Cotton association also commended some features of the government reports, but numerous other delegates strongly condemned them. Mr. Tompkins of North Carolina characterized them as "a complicated system of guessing," while another southern grower denounced them as "a speculative football."

Various remedies were suggested, but as no two delegates seemed able to agree on a satisfactory plan, the whole subject was laid on the table.

Derby Winner.

Louisville, May 3.—Between 25,000 and 30,000 persons saw Sir Huon, a Falsetto colt, win the thirty-second Kentucky derby in 2:05 3-5. Betting was the heaviest ever known on Kentucky Derby.

Two Bills Passed.

Washington, May 3.—Agricultural appropriation and military academy bills passed the house Wednesday. The former carries \$7,481,440 and the latter \$1,663,115.

METHODISTS MEETING

Fifteenth Quadrennial Conference In Session at Birmingham.

GRATIFYING GROWTH

Over One Hundred and Nine Thousand Increase in Membership Reported by Bishops the Past Four Years.

Birmingham, Ala., May 3.—The fifteenth quadrennial conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, began this morning at the First Methodist church, with about 400 clerical and lay delegates and 300 visitors present. Bishop Wilson of Baltimore called the conference to order. Nine active bishops answered roll call.

Devotional services were impressive and heartily entered into by the large congregation.

The address of the bishops was read by Bishop Galloway of Mississippi. It was quite lengthy, covering the entire work of the church for the past four years, both at home and abroad. Among other things, it contained the following:

"The statistical returns are altogether encouraging. The increase in members during the past four years was 109,427, as against only 38,085 during the preceding quadrennial. We have now 1,614,648 members, 1,039,785 Sunday-school scholars and 120,487 Epworth League members.

"Receipts of our board for foreign missions for this quadrennial were \$1,659,941, an increase over the preceding four years of \$645,673. Collections for church extension were \$372,649, an increase of \$112,833 over quadrennium ending in 1902."

The bishops recommend the organization of missionary educational work, which will secure the active cooperation of pastors, officials of Epworth League and superintendents of Sunday-schools; formation of missionary study classes and wider circulation of missionary literature; expansion of work of translation of Christian literature in Spanish and Portuguese and development of young people's missionary department.

TICKET LIMITATION.

Railroad Commission Will Take Up an Important Matter.

Austin, May 3.—The railroad commission issued a notice of hearing for May 15, at which time it will take up and consider the adoption of this matter, substantially as follows: "All regular first-class passenger tickets, whether one way or round trip, for which the regular rate of 3 cents per mile, or such other maximum passenger fare as may be lawfully established is paid, shall not be limited as to the time within which they may be used, but shall entitle the holder to passage according to their reading whenever presented for that purpose." This rule, if adopted, will have an important bearing on excursion tickets issued by railroads in Texas.

BELLS FOR BELL.

Unique Procession Assists Fort Worth Man to Inaugurate Campaign.

Hamilton, Tex., May 3.—Between 1,500 and 2,000 persons, with little bells tinkling in their hands, marched from the public square Thursday afternoon to picnic grounds east of the city to hear Hon. Charles K. Bell of Fort Worth deliver his first address in his campaign for the Democratic nomination for governor. Hamilton was Judge Bell's former home and he was warmly greeted by hundreds. A large shed had been erected and under it seats provided. Two brass bands discoursed music. On the bells were the words: "Square Deal."

Judge A. R. Eldson introduced the ex-attorney general, who spoke about two hours on state issues.

MINOR DISORDERS.

They Are Confined Mainly to Outlying Factory Districts.

Paris, May 3.—A number of trades unionists still refuse to return to work until their demands are granted. There have been some minor disorders, but they are confined mainly to outlying factory districts. Center of the city was normal up to noon Thursday, but demonstrations of troops continued to occupy strategic positions. Pickets are also scattered through the suburbs and others stationed at street corners in Passy and other residence districts.

A squadron of dragoons was drawn up in the courtyard of Prince Eugene barracks on Place de la Republique prepared to respond to the call of the police. The latter continued to be massed in considerable force in the neighborhood of the Labor Exchange, and occasional arrests were made, but there was no disturbance up to noon Thursday.

Have Own Shop.

Houston, May 3.—As a result of a strike of union bakers the latter have leased a shop and are doing business on their own account.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

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OF BRYAN, TEXAS

At the close of business April 6, 1906.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts.....	\$179,117.41
U. S. Bonds and Premiums.....	53,000.00
Stocks and Securities.....	6,611.30
Furniture and Fixtures.....	2,200.50
Expenses and Taxes Paid.....	2,067.87
CASH.....	196,535.97
Total.....	\$439,533.05

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock.....	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits.....	48,927.70
Circulation.....	50,000.00
DEPOSITS.....	290,605.35
Total.....	\$439,533.05

I, Albert W. Wilkerson, cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ALBERT W. WILKERSON, Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 10th day of April, 1906.
ED. S. DERDEN, Notary Public,
Brazos County, Texas.

Correct Attest: { G. S. Parker }
 { Ed. Hall } Directors
 { J. W. English }

We invite your attention to the above statement and solicit your business

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E. H. ASTIN, Vice President A. W. WILKERSON, Cashier

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COMMENCEMENT ORATORS.

Bishop Morrison of New Orleans will preach the commencement sermon at the A. and M. College Sunday, June 10. Hon. J. D. Montgomery of Gordon will deliver the commencement address Tuesday following—Commencement day.

The Allen Academy commencement exercises will be held Wednesday and Thursday, June 6 and 7. Hon. T. S. Henderson of Cameron has accepted an invitation to deliver the literary address.

Dr. J. L. Gross, pastor of the First Baptist church of Houston, will preach the commencement sermon of the Texas Woman's College Sunday, June 3. Other exercises will follow from June 3 to 7.

Rev. Clarence McPherson of Waxahachie will preach the commencement sermon of the A. and C. Institute Sunday, May 27.

BACK FROM NEW ORLEANS.

Monroe Edge returned yesterday morning from New Orleans, where he attended the great reunion and carried on a vigorous advertising campaign for Bryan and Brazos county. Mr. Edge distributed about ten thousand folders and circulars for the Bryan Business League and for himself, and met the people, talked with them and invited them to Bryan, and says many of them told him they were coming. He believes the effort put forth will go far towards attracting immigration from the older states.

Mr. Edge says New Orleans was thronged with immense crowds and the reunion was a grand success.

Mr. Edge left his little son, Obie, in the Touro infirmary, where he underwent a successful operation and is getting along nicely.

W. S. Higgs, Frank Higgs and Leroy Wren have been enjoying a fishing trip to Wixon lake this week.

For Sale—Good cord wood at \$2.50 per cord delivered.

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D. D. Dawson.

WILL MOVE TO LANCASTER

Bryan Academic and Collegiate Institute Has Contracted for Valuable Property in North Texas Town.

The Bryan Academic and Collegiate Institute, which was established in Bryan four years ago by Rev. A. M. Stewart, founder and president, will be removed from Bryan to Lancaster, Dallas county.

Acting under the authority of the board of directors, President Stewart has contracted for the valuable military school property at Lancaster, and will merge the school now in operation there into the Academic and Collegiate Institute. The Lancaster school property includes three fine buildings—one large main building and two dormitories, one for boys and one for girls. With the consolidation of the schools the faculty will be enlarged, Rev. Stewart remaining at the head of the institution.

At the meeting of the stockholders of the Institute held last night a resolution was adopted giving the board of directors full power to act regarding the removal of the school. At a meeting of the board of directors subsequently held the necessary change in the charter of school was authorized, also the removal of the library, fixtures and other school property. The Bryan stockholders of the Institute will retain their stock in the school unless they see fit to make disposition of it.

The present term of the school will close June 29th, and the next term will open at Lancaster early in September.

The removal of the school from Bryan is a matter of much regret to the president and faculty of the school and to the community generally, but it is based on the belief of the management that owing to the lack of suitable buildings here and for other economic reasons the inducements offered by Lancaster are such as to fully warrant the step which has been determined upon.

The Eagle bespeaks continued growth and success for the Institute in its new field of labor. Bryan's school interests are large, in fact pre-eminent, and surpassed by only a few larger school centers of the state, and the course pursued by this institution is no disparagement of this field or of the glorious educational future before this community. It is simply a matter of the A. and C. Institute embracing the opportunity of securing suitable buildings elsewhere, and now ready for use, on remarkably favorable terms. Lancaster is a smaller town than Bryan, but is well situated for building up such a school as Rev. Stewart and his co-laborers contemplate.

Billy Palgens and Gus Hinz of Kurten were here yesterday, accompanying Herman Pick, who returned to Falls county.

Arthur Cobb, Miss Jessie Cobb and Miss Lamb, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Davis were here from Grimes county yesterday.

D. B. Hatch, representing Beacon Paper Co. of St. Louis, was in the city yesterday and called on The Eagle.

For Sale—All household goods. Same may be seen at residence. 130 George A. Adams.

New Insurance Company.

Austin, May 3.—The state insurance commissioner has authorized the Fort Worth Life Insurance company of Fort Worth to do business in Texas. Capital stock is \$500,000. The charter of this company was approved Feb. 23 last, but the company never qualified. This is the fourth Texas life insurance company authorized to do business in the state.

Elevator Burns.

South McAlester, May 3.—To spontaneous combustion is due the destruction of the Davidson Elevator company's plant. Loss is \$15,000.

Bailey Suffers.

Bonham, Tex., May 3.—At Bailey, twelve miles north of here, several residences were blown down, and several people hurt.

Big Oil Blaze.

Tulsa, I. T., May 3.—Near Mounds two derricks and twenty-two tanks of oil, containing 9,000 barrels, burned. Loss is \$12,000.

Hoch Renominated.

Topeka, May 3.—Governor Hoch was renominated by the Republican convention practically by acclamation.

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Outdo in Age Deeds Which Usually Are Associated with Passionate Youth.

CHICAGO MAN TRANSFERS WIFE TO SON.

Stepmother Had Won Love of Youth, and Father Resigns His Bride—Marital Mixups of Two Eastern Millionaires.

New York.—Three men whose recent romantic stories have made their names household words are Thomas W. Kiley of Brooklyn, Capt. Nathan Appleton of Boston, and Watson H. Twitchell of Chicago.
 Elderly, rich, and known as keen, practical business men, they have gone to greater lengths for the women of their hearts than ever a stripling did. They have done for love what few youngsters would do. Between them they make up a veritable trio of romance.
 They are men of affairs, each in his own city. Not for a moment would anyone believe them anything but hard-headed business men. Yet what they have dared is remarkable—these three men whom everybody believed beyond the age when Cupid calls his loudest.
 Thomas W. Kiley married the daughter of his benefactor because she loved him, and he thought his first wife dying. Appleton met his affinity and is now preparing to divorce his first wife. But most remarkable of all is Twitchell. He gave up his bride—his second wife—to his son, because he loved them both, and wanted to see them happy.
 And first, then, this remarkable romance of the Twitchells.
 Bertha May was a pretty little country girl who lived in a quiet little Michigan town, when Watson H. Twitchell, widower, with a son 24 years old, came there on a business visit. He met charming Miss Bertha and fell head over heels in love with her—this gray-haired business man of 56.
 She wanted to see the world. He told the ambitious little girl from Michigan of the pleasures of life in Chicago. When he asked her to marry him she thought that her desire to see the world—that is, what of it that can be seen in Chicago—was really love. So the old man with the grown-up son and the unsophisticated little girl from Michigan were married. The proud bridegroom brought his dainty bride back home to Chicago, and there



they met young Edward Twitchell, the handsome, stalwart son of the old-time benedict.
 In a week the pretty little Michigan girl found that life in Chicago with a man old enough to be her father was not the same thing as real love. She found that the young fellow who was her stepson had far more attractions for her than her staid and very conservative husband. In fact, before the month was out, she was head over heels in love with the son of her elderly husband. And, as if to add to this strange mix-up, the son himself was just as madly in love with his own stepmother—the wife of his father.
 Of course, such things couldn't go on forever. Mr. Twitchell, Sr., soon learned that he stood in the way of Mr. Twitchell, Jr. He taxed his wife with loving his son. Proud of her love, she owned up.
 And so the case was taken to court.

planation was offered to their many friends, and after a time the trouble was all but forgotten.
 But then Miss Edith R. Willis came on the scene. She was young, vivacious, talented, beautiful. From that moment the gallant captain believed that he had met his fate. He frankly told Miss Willis that he believed her to be his affinity, and he asked her to marry him.
 "Yes," she said, but it takes more than a whispered assent to make a marriage. There had to be a divorce first.
 So Capt. Appleton has begun suit after all these years. Mrs. Appleton lives in New York with her confidant since her separation from her husband, Miss Katherine Parsons, of Virginia, daughter of Col. Henry Clay Parsons. At first Mrs. Appleton said she wouldn't contest the suit provided the captain made her a suitable allowance out of his wealth, but evidently the two could not come to terms, for the issue has been joined and the case will come to trial. Miss Parsons will take the stand in behalf of Mrs. Appleton.
 New Yorker Who Posed as a Wealthy Society Man Is Held for Larceny.
 New York.—Through the arrest of John Wilmer Martine, head salesman in a Fifth avenue haberdashery, one of the most remarkable dual personalities in the police records of this city has come to light. Martine worked each week from eight a. m. to six p. m. for \$2 a week. After business hours he was a welcome guest to the homes of some of the best known fam-



ilies in the city. He numbered among his friends several well-known society women.
 Skillful and continuous larceny, it is alleged, enabled him to live at the rate of \$15,000 a year. For two years or more, it is charged, he has stolen systematically and without coming under suspicion. A trip to Europe proved his undoing.
 Martine added to his income by work as "parlor entertainer." He got \$25 a night for this, and so pleasing was his personality that he seldom failed to convert his patrons into admiring friends. He has appeared in the houses of John D. Rockefeller and Grant B. Schley. He stage managed the entertainments at the West side Y. M. C. A., where he was highly esteemed.
 Martine, whose right name is said to be Martin, came to this city from Baltimore ten years ago. He is 28 years old, and is known as one of the "smartest dressers" in town.
 In the West Side police court Martine was brought to answer a charge of grand larceny preferred by his employer, W. A. Laughlin. Edward H. Hobbs, counsel for the haberdasher, said the stealings of Mr. Martine in the five years he has worked for the concern are not known, but he was charged with the theft of \$500.
 Meets Kin After 29 Years.
 Knoxville, Tenn.—John S. Kreider, of Lebanon, Pa., and Uriah Kreider, of this city, brothers, have met in this city for the first time in 29 years. Uriah Kreider left his Pennsylvania home 29 years ago. John S. Kreider was in the civil war. Recently he passed through the city with Gov. Pennypacker's party. He met his brother at the train, and recognition was mutual. Both shed tears. Other veterans gathered about to hear their story.
 Wakes After Long Sleep.
 Los Angeles, Cal.—Miss Florence Parker, whose mysterious sleep for seven weeks excited the interest of the medical fraternity, has left the Sisters' hospital. Miss Parker is the daughter of a wealthy Arizona mining man. She began her strange sleep at Tucson, Ariz. For weeks she lay in a trance, and until about two weeks ago there was little hope of her recovery. She began to recover consciousness, however, and has gradually come to a normal condition.
 \$80 in Rats' Nest.
 Allentown, Pa.—Eighty dollars in bills, which Sarah Zinger missed from her bureau drawer several months ago, at her home, near Rittenhouse Gap, have been found at last in a rats' nest back of the bureau, all in shape to be redeemed, though mutilated by the rats' gnawing. An honest servant had been discharged, on suspicion, long before the finding of the rats' nest.

A PINK SKIN DIETARY.

If a Woman Would Possess a Peaches-and-Cream Complexion, What She Must Do.
 "If a girl will eat carrots, if she will drink chocolate and not too much of it, and if she will chew the green salads, her complexion will improve. There is a complexion dietary. It comes from London, where the complexion specialists flourish this reign. The queen loves pink and gray, and unless a woman has a lovely complexion she cannot wear either of these colors. Hence the work of the complexion specialists. Often, during the season, the rooms will be crowded, and one must make an appointment days in advance.
 "I know a woman who paid over 300 good American dollars for a complexion dietary, says a milliner's model, as reported in the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. When she got it she was so mad she cried. It was nothing but simple, while she had expected something complex. There was a little preliminary talk about the beneficial effects of cool spring water in the morning before breakfast. Hot water is good for a dyspeptic, but cool water is the thing for the girl who is full of life and health. Then there was a food talk like this: For breakfast she may eat a southern breakfast, which consists always of hot breads and fruit. She may have a cup of chocolate, but only one. In the middle of the morning she drinks two quarts of water if possible.
 "At noon she eats a chop and all the greens she wants, and, under the head of greens come the salads, all the fruits and plenty of vegetables. At night she eats no meat at all. Meat is eaten only once a day, and then sparingly. You must eat lightly of meat if you want a nice skin.
 "The best vegetables for a good complexion are carrots, turnips and beets. Asparagus without a cream sauce is good, and spinach is meat and drink, too. Vegetables should be taken rather hot and as many warm foods as possible should be eaten. It may be true that man, once upon a time, ate uncooked food. But for several generations women have been used to warm food, and there is nothing as bad for the complexion as iced things.
 "I could—with that dietary—take an old jaundiced complexion and make it pink and pretty, with the right kind of food. I know a pretty girl who went to a doctor for her complexion. He told her to take carlet three times a day with her meals. She misunderstood him and thought he said carrots. Three months later she went back to him in blooming health. 'I ate carrots three times a day,' said she, 'and just look at me!'
 "Poor-complexioned women are generally heavy meat eaters and they love hot pastry. Warm breads are good, but hot pie is bad. 'Let your hot breads cool a little,' said the dietary, 'and they will agree with you much better.'
 "It seems odd for a milliner's model to make a study of the diet. But if your bread and butter depended upon your complexion, perhaps you would understand it better. This customer of mine, who paid a cool \$300 for her dietary from the London doctor, grew to thank her stars that she had done it. Her skin cleared like magic, and one day I offered her a Paris hat in exchange for the secret.
 "I have pink hats for the woman who can wear them. But, if your skin is poor and your taste uncertain, then you better wear either an all-black hat or an all-white one. Don't trust yourself to the colors or with them.
 "That is the advice of a woman who makes millinery her specialty, and her means of earning her living."

ATTRACTIVE DOILY.

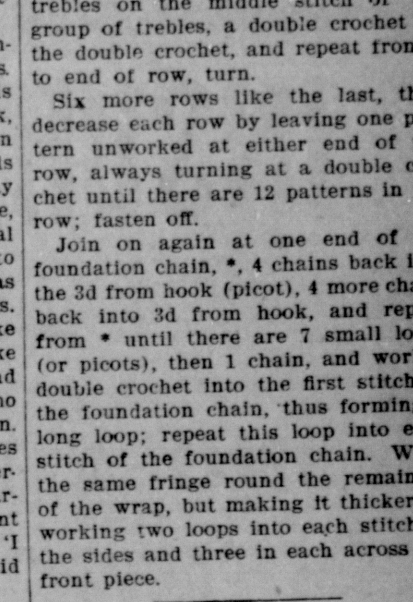
Among the Many Varieties Offered We Think the Following Should Have High Place.
 We illustrate here two pretty doilies, and the lace border for one of them. The small one is of white linen worked with a cross-stitch border of blue Osoilkie, the edges being frayed out to form a fringe. The larger doily is also of linen, and is edged with a border of point lace. This offers a suggestion for a tray cloth and doily



DOILY DESIGNS.
 to match, as the lace pattern may be repeated as often as is needed to edge a cloth of any size.
 The section lace should first be worked, then arranged on the edge of cloth; the upper edge of lace is buttonholed down, then the material is cut away so that the lace is left transparent. About 16 inches of lace are needed for each section, and one skein of thread will work half a dozen at least, so that the cost for enough to surround a cloth may be easily calculated. At the corners the patterns are connected by a bar of braid and a network of lace stitches.
 White Handbags.
 White linen handbags and purses to carry with linen gowns are shown.

HEAD WRAP: CROCHET.

Made of Soft Shetland and Loosely Worked—Suitable for Wear of a Summer Evening.
 This dainty little wrap forms a protection to the chest and shoulders as well as a covering for the head; it is really very pretty and becoming as well as warm.
 Material required: About six ounces of white Shetland wool, and a rather thick bone hook. It should be worked quite loosely.
 Work a chain about one and three-fourths yards in length, turn and work 5 trebles in the fifth chain from hook, * pass 2, a double crochet in the next, pass 2, 5 trebles in next, and repeat from * for length of chain, taking care to end with a double crochet; turn, a double crochet in the back thread of the last made stitch (back thread only should be taken throughout), *, 5



A CRYSTAL ANNIVERSARY.

This Can Be Made a Most Beautiful Affair—Suggestions or Appropriate Costumes.
 A club of 300 members asks for suggestions to celebrate its "Crystal" or fifteenth anniversary at a banquet. Decorate the room with all the mirrors that can be borrowed for the occasion, and over them place vines and asparagus ferns. Keep the color scheme white and green, using glass candle sticks and vases. White glass beads strung and festooned from the mantel and gas jets are very effective, also the icicles of glass which are Christmas tree ornaments; they are lovely when suspended by invisible wire. Use table mirrors and all the cut glass dishes available. If the ladies would wear white gowns the effect would be very pretty. Diamond dust scattered over the flowers and vines is pretty, and the place cards may be dipped in mucilage water and then in the diamond dust. The date of the club's organization and the present date may be worked out in electric lights or in green and white flowers. If you have dancing cover the floors with canvas; if cards have the tables covered with white paper cambric, and keep the score with glass marbles. A short programme of music would add to the evening, and those who are to respond to toasts should be prepared. It would be very entertaining to have a resume of the 15 years told in a witty manner, and a prophecy for the future could be made very clever if handled rightly. If these subjects could be taken by some of the men guests it would probably be most entertaining.

MADAME MERRI.
 To Reduce Flesh.
 A strict diet, or plenty of exercise; either one of these will reduce flesh. If you can take exercise, do so, at the same time eating no sweets, leaving off such things as rice, macaroni, milk, fresh breads and pastries. If you can diet, eat only an orange, with a cup of coffee and a small slice of toast for breakfast; a cup of weak tea and another slice of toast with slices of cold meat for lunch, and only as much dinner as will prevent hunger, drinking no water with any meal, but plenty an hour before and an hour after. I have in mind a young woman who lost 25 pounds in three months in this way, but in addition she walked every day.
 Rough Weaves.
 The loveliest suits of all, among the dressy types, are those of Burlington and rajah, made very plainly, depending upon the effectiveness of the rough weave for style, or quite elaborately trimmed with braids and buttons and embroidery, with a little vest tucked in besides.
 Little Jackets.
 Pony jackets and boleros are having things mightily their own way at present, each of the three styles striving to outdo the others in the number of variations it can achieve.

When you are Looking for Something Good to Eat, try our line of Ferndell Canned Goods.

Swift's Breakfast Bacon and Hams

Fresh Mackerel, 2 for	25c
Fresh shipment Boston Brown Flakes, 2 for	25c
Fresh shipment Ralston's Health Crisps, per pkg	10c
Ralston's Breakfast Food, 3 packages for	50c
Ralston's Pancake Flour, 2 packages for	25c
Ralston's Health Oat Meal per package	10c
Ralston's Whole Wheat Flour, per sack	50c
Shredded Whole Wheat Biscuit, per package	15c

Fresh Shipment Cakes and Crackers

Chase & Sanborn's famous Roasted Coffees and Package Teas.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

H. & T. C. SCHEDULE.

NORTH BOUND TRAIN:

No. 3	1:38 p.m.
No. 5	12:46 a.m.

SOUTH BOUND TRAIN:

No. 2	3:40 p.m.
No. 4	2:48 a.m.

I. & G. N. SCHEDULE.

SOUTH BOUND TRAINS.

No. 101 arrives at	6:05 p. m.
No. 102 arrives at	9:25 a. m.

NORTH BOUND TRAINS.

No. 101 arrives at	9:25 a. m.
No. 102 arrives at	6:05 p. m.

Fruit jars for sale at Howell Bros. 132

Mrs. A. L. Evans is visiting in Houston.

Fritz Summerlatte is visiting in Houston.

Special prices on dotted swisses at Norwood's. 127

Tyler Haswell visited Hearne yesterday.

Rev. Damiani left for Beaumont yesterday.

Mrs. Jas. L. Christian is visiting at Millican.

Charlie Adams left for San Antonio yesterday.

J. H. Hearne of Kurten was in the city yesterday.

S. V. Lawson was here from Magnolia yesterday.

Judge J. W. Doremus visited Millican yesterday.

Joe Ransome of Cartwheel was in town yesterday.

Children's colored drop stitch hose 15c at Norwood's. 127

L. S. Williams of Harvey was in the city yesterday.

H. C. Robinson returned yesterday from a business trip.

Miss Caroline Davis is the guest of Mrs. H. E. White.

Chas. H. Vance of Navasota was in the city yesterday.

Eugene C. Blake of Houston was in the city yesterday.

H. D. Harrison of New Orleans was in the city yesterday.

Dr. Julius Zulch of Willow Hole was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Theo. Bauer of Kurten left yesterday for Evansville, Ind.

Mr. Junkin and family of Austin are visiting Prof. T. P. Junkin.

House for rent. Apply to Mrs. Proctor. 127

Victor Machines for sale at A. McKenzie's jewelry store. 127

Victor May records for sale at A. McKenzie's jewelry store. 127

Ab Andrews and family were here from Madison county yesterday.

For boys' Buster Brown blouse and mannish suits see Mrs. Mary Lawrence. 11

Mrs. C. T. Skains of Houston is the guest of her mother, Mrs. M. K. Goodson.

Mrs. H. F. Payne returned to Benchley yesterday after a visit to Mrs. C. C. Seale.

Mrs. Collins Bradley of Austin is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McConico.

The school board will meet at 8 o'clock tonight at the office of the City National Bank.

Mrs. R. V. Kernole and Chancey Kernole left yesterday to visit in Houston and Galveston.

Mrs. D. M. Dansby returned yesterday from Wellborn, accompanied by Dr. and Mrs. G. F. Lee.

J. S. Harrison, the well known merchant of Keith, Grimes county, was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. W. F. Taliaferro arrived yesterday from Saratoga to visit relatives here and at Wheelock.

Miss Walker of Dallas and Miss Hooper of Calvert are visiting Mrs. J. C. Nagle.—The Battalion.

For Sale or Rent—Square piano. Can be seen at our home. 132 Geo. A. Adams.

We are selling our 50c white organdies for only 30c. 127 Burt Norwood.

Wanted—Six young men to travel. Salary and expenses. Call today 10 a. m. to 12 Willis boarding house. 27

Rev. Studtman has returned to Falls county, after conducting services Sunday at Willow Hole and Kurten.

Elder Crane returned yesterday from Brenham, where he has been conducting a successful two weeks meeting.

The case of the negro, Berry Tillman charged with the murder of Sam Seay, has been transferred from Madison to Grimes county. Tillman gave bond in the sum of \$2500. 127 Burt Norwood.

While some of the local merchants are trying to discover if a Young Men's Christian Association would be of any financial benefit to the city, they might consider the fact that Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey now have a chaplain with each of their circuses. The chaplain of Ringling Bros' circus is a graduate of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas. The circuses and railroads do not carry on this great work from a sentimental standpoint; they realize that it elevates the morals of their men and thereby gives better results in conscientious service. — Houston Post.

Mr. F. B. Stevenson and family arrived yesterday from Westminster, Maryland, to make their home permanently in Bryan. Mr. Stevenson is a brother of Mr. J. B. Stevenson of this city, and a master plumber and fine machinist. He comes to engage in business with Mr. Stevenson and Mr. Ralph B. Dunn and will assist them in all their enterprises. Mr. Stevenson and family will receive a cordial welcome from the people of Bryan.

The Bible study classes have been organized and are getting well started in the work. Leaders have been appointed to conduct the classes in each division of the halls and meet with the members in some room once a week to discuss the lesson. The leaders are: Dean, Moore, W. G. Gilbert, A. T. Potts, Gleason, G. A. Smith, Lenert, Beasley, Leggett and Ramsay.—The Battalion.

E. M. Clanton of the Rosprim community called on The Eagle yesterday and reported that Dr. H. L. Fountain of this city performed a successful operation upon Mrs. Clanton, his wife, on Tuesday last, and the lady is rapidly recovering. A cancer was removed from Mrs. Clanton's head.

A couple of cars of an I. & G. N. freight train left the track near Mumford yesterday, and the north-bound passenger was delayed here until 1:38 p. m., when it went north on the H. & T. C. to Hearne, following the H. & T. C. passenger train. The I. & G. N. line was cleared yesterday afternoon.

Prof. J. H. Allen, Prof. H. W. South and Prof. W. J. Moyes will leave this morning for Fort Worth, accompanying the Allen Academy track team, which goes to defend the state inter-scholastic athletic championship now held by the Academy.

Mr. H. E. Elrod of the class of '01 was on the campus a short while last week. He is now general manager of the Bartlett Steel Company of Joplin, Mo., and is doing well.—The Battalion.

I. M. Cook, W. D. Yardley, T. W. Reed, T. P. Hall, T. B. Goodman, J. R. Pate, J. E. Bullock, R. B. Knowles, J. W. Hathorn, C. L. Eden and H. L. Todd were summoned as jurors in the county court yesterday.

Mr. E. J. Jenkins requests The Eagle to express his thanks to those who rendered assistance during the fire on Thursday morning and saved his home from loss on that occasion.

S. W. Buchanan and J. A. Foreman on yesterday shipped six carloads of cattle to Houston, making a total of ten cars they have shipped within a week.

Misses Mabel Long and Alice Stewart, accompanied by Mrs. Lobbin, all of Fort Worth, were here to attend the Ross Volunteer dance.—The Battalion.

Wanted—German or Bohemian girl to do general housework. Must be competent and speak English. Good wages. Apply to Miss Mattie Taber. 129

The 40c quality white Butcher's linen for skirts at 25c. 127 Burt Norwood.

Grey! GREY! Grey!

This is Truly a Grey Season.



We were fortunate in anticipating the unusually large demand this Spring for

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We searched every good line that came along for choice grey patterns and selected only the cream of the styles in each line. As a result we are showing unquestionably the largest and most complete assortment in Bryan of

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In all the different shades of grey, from the lightest pearl grey, steel grey and oyster grey to the dark gun metal greys, they are all here in a profusion of handsome patterns, cut in the height of fashion, either single or double breasted styles, and all moderately priced.

Come see these popular grey suits at

\$12.50 \$15.00 \$18.00 \$20.00

Parks & Waldrop

The Clothiers

School of Photography.

Mr. Carter is opening up a school for photography for the benefit of amateurs and will teach free how to make and finish complete good kodak pictures. To aid the success of this undertaking he handles the world-known one price Eastman's Kodaks and supplies. Free lessons for amateurs from 9 to 10 a. m., each day. 128

Why give your valued pictures to unknown agents when you can get any kind of enlarged work at any price at home 128

Alonzo Carter. Fritz Lanham of Austin came up with the Varsity baseball team and visited his brother, Dr. Lanham.—The Battalion.

The Daughters of the Confederacy will meet with Mrs. John N. Henderson Friday afternoon, May 4, at 4 o'clock. 127

White silk mitts, elbow lengths, the \$1.00 grade for 75c. 127 Burt Norwood.

Sheriff R. M. Nall left last night for Kountze to attend his brother, Judge W. H. Nall, who is seriously ill.

Wanted—To rent, a typewriter for about two months. Apply at Eagle office. 127

Mrs. H. S. Nabors of Houston is here en route to Corsicana, and the guest of C. G. Parsons and mother.

We are closing out our \$1 quality white organdy at 75c. 127 Burt Norwood.

We have just received a fresh shipment of FANCY CAKES and CRACKERS. Nice assortment for picnics.

Graham Crackers, per package	10c
Fig Newton, per package	10c
Marshmallow Dainty, per package	10c
Chocolate Dainty, per package	10c
Cheese Sandwiches, per package	10c
Uneda Ginger Wafer, per package	10c
Nabisco Wafer, per package	10c
Social Tea, per package	10c
Five O'clock Tea, per package	10c
Frotana, per package	10c
Zu Zu, per package	05c
Lemon Snaps, per package	05c
Uneda Biscuit, per package	05c
Saratoga Flakes, per package	15c
Mixed Cakes, per pound	25c

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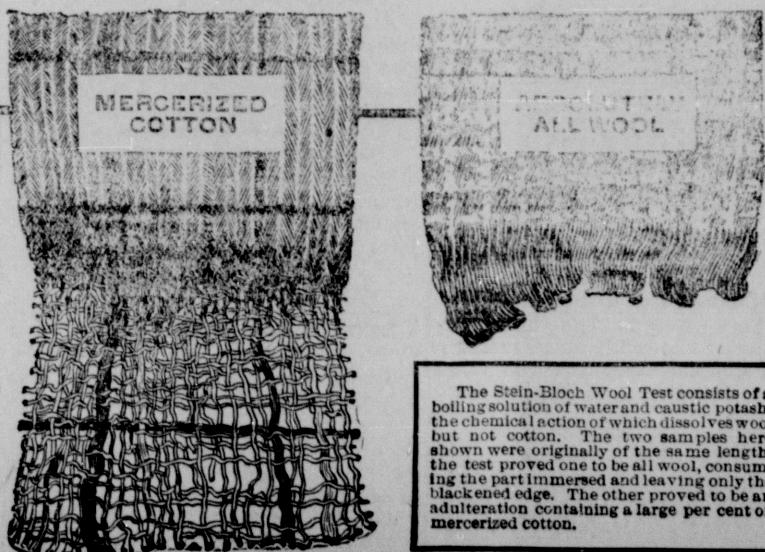
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We have sold 2000 acres of farm lands in the last few days, which is evidence of our ability in turning real estate.

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We hardly understand why the investor invariably comes to us. But it is a known fact that he does.

We have had several thousand circulars printed, showing the good points about Bryan and Brazos County, and to meet the demand we must increase our list of property for sale. If you are in the market for a home or have something to offer, come to see us. We have a demand for several places in Bryan to cost from \$500.00 to \$1000.00.

For list of farm lands see weekly papers published at Bryan.

MONROE EDGE

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OVER MYERS' HARDWARE STORE.

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Croup and inflammation of the larynx are instantly relieved and permanently cured by the use of One Minute Cough Cure. This never failing prescription of an eminent physician was given the name of ONE MINUTE COUGH CURE because instant relief has always followed its use. It takes effect at the seat of the trouble and acts on the inflamed membranes instead of passing wholly into the stomach and dragging or stupefying the system. Gives relief instantly.

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It destroys the disease germ, clears the phlegm and draws out the inflammation, thus removing the cause and curing permanently. One Minute Cough Cure is perfectly harmless, good for children and they like its taste. Prepared only by E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago. An ideal remedy for children. Do not forget the name.

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WORSE THAN EVER

Colombia and Venezuela Are Anything but Friendly.

Washington, May 3.—Colombia and Venezuela are worse estranged than ever before, as the result of the refusal of Vice President Gomez of Venezuela to receive Dr. Herrera as minister plenipotentiary, who went to Caracas three weeks ago to perfect a treaty with Venezuela for the settlement of disputes between the two South American governments concerning navigation of rivers flowing through the two countries and concerning commerce passing over common boundaries. War is being freely talked in South American diplomatic circles. The insult to Colombia is regarded by some diplomats here as one she cannot well overlook, and especially since this is the second time the Castro government refused to receive a representative of Colombia.

Just a year ago Lucas Cahallero went from Colombia as her accredited representative. There were repeated delays as to his reception and the Venezuelan government refused to receive him officially. At the time Castro insisted that Colombia expel Venezuelan political refugees.

Later an envoy from Colombia went to Venezuela, and last December protocols were signed for resumption of diplomatic relations between the two countries and for framing a treaty solving navigation and frontier questions. In accordance with these protocols Dr. Herrera was sent to Caracas to perfect the treaty. Dispatches from Mr. Russell, American minister in Venezuela, say Vice President Gomez refused to receive Dr. Herrera officially, and it is stated it will not be possible to do so until the treaty has been perfected.

Mr. Mendoza, Colombian minister, is at New York, where he has been for several weeks, and the legation has had no advice concerning the sudden break in what seemed to be the friendly relations between Colombia and Venezuela. It was through the good offices of the American minister, Mr. Russell, that the protocols looking to a settlement of all difficulties were framed, and it is suggested here what is termed "A slap at Colombia" is an indirect thrust at the United States.

OLYMPIC GAMES END.

By Far the Greatest Number of Prizes Won by Americans.

Athens, May 3.—Amid the strains of the national anthem and cheering clapping of hands, and in the presence of an immense gathering, the Olympic games came to an end Wednesday evening. All the afternoon King George, Queen Olga, Crown Prince Constantine and other members of the royal family stood in the heat of the sun distributing the prizes to the successful competitors.

The Americans won by far the greatest number of prizes. Their score was 75, whereas the English scored second with 339, the Swedes and Greeks tying in third place with 28.

King George gave a gala dinner with 400 covers in honor of the foreign delegates, the athletes, the judges, the winners, etc.

SIX DROWN.

Three Americans and Same Number of Mexicans Perish in Water.

City of Mexico, May 3.—News has been received here of the death by drowning of three Americans and three Mexicans at a point where the Minatitlan river joins the coatzaacoalcos river. The Mexicans were Alfred Sweeney, Purony and —. Fisher. The Mexicans were a physician, a commercial traveler and a boatman. Sweeney was thirty-three years of age, and came from Silterville, W. Va.; Purony was twenty-two years of age, and formerly lived at Austin, Tex., and Fisher was a New Yorker. The Americans had been employed in the Pearson Oil company camp. The bodies were recovered and buried in the cemetery in Minatitlan.

ASTOR-SHAW NUPTIALS.

Fathers of Both Bride and Groom Too Ill to Attend.

London, May 3.—Mrs. Nannie Langhorn Shaw of Virginia and Waldorf Astor, the elder son of William Waldorf Astor, were quietly married at All Souls' Church, Langham Place, London, Thursday afternoon, by Rev. Francis Scott Webster. Neither William Waldorf Astor nor Mr. Langhorn, respectively fathers of the groom and bride, were present, both being too ill to attend.

Southern Educational Conference.

Lexington, May 3.—The seventh annual Southern Educational conference began here with 2,500 people present. The address of welcome was made by Governor Beckham, followed by R. C. Ogden of New York, president of the Southern Education conference. Gov. Folk of Missouri spoke on the necessity of education and against child labor.

Held to Grand Jury.

Chicago, May 3.—John R. Walsh, former president of the defunct National bank, was held to the Federal grand jury in bonds of \$50,000 by United States Commissioner Foote. Bonds were at once furnished by Mr. Walsh.

Raised by Red Cross.

Washington, May 3.—The total amount of money raised by the Red Cross up to Wednesday for the relief of San Francisco is \$1,738,000.

Majority Against Smoot.

Washington, May 3.—A poll of the senate committee on privileges and elections developed the fact that a majority will vote to sustain the charges against Senator Smoot.

Negro Methodists.

Memphis, May 3.—General conference of African Methodist Episcopal church is in session here with attendance of 400.

ATTITUDE OF ADJUSTERS.

What Methods They Will Pursue to Settle Losses Discussed.

New York, May 3.—The Tribune says: Representatives of both foreign and American fire insurance companies in this city discussed united action to effect a compromise in the adjustment of losses by the San Francisco fire. The discussion was largely upon the question as to the attitude



STREET SCENE AFTER FIRE.

the adjusters of companies should be instructed to take in regard to disputed questions. The great companies express a strong purpose to be not only just, but generous, in cases of doubt with the victims of the San Francisco fire; but they all evidently feel what was expressed by the president of a large American company, who said:

"The adjusters for this company will not be allowed to waive the conditions of its policies nor the conditions and restrictions of its charter. We have no more right to pay a loss occasioned by earthquake than we have to pay a loss of life. We are not an earthquake insurance company, nor a life insurance company."

Because of exemption from loss by earthquake damage, well informed insurance men estimated that the companies would ultimately pay from 60 to 75 per cent of the aggregate amount at risk.

SYMPATHETIC LEPERS.

Affected Persons Adopt Resolutions and Raise Funds.

Honolulu, May 3.—Lepers at the settlement of Molokai held a mass-meeting at which they adopted lengthy and eloquently worded resolutions in the Hawaiian language expressing sympathy for sufferers by the San Francisco fire. They also raised a relief fund representing the subscriptions of 400 persons, who each gave from 5 cents up. The resolutions prepared by the lepers are of a profoundly religious tone and provide for forwarding of resolutions to Mayor Schmitz of San Francisco. The money has been sent to the Honolulu Board of Health.

MONSTER BENEFIT.

There Are Forty-Five Numbers Upon the Long Programme.

New York, May 3.—The programme of the monster benefit for the San Francisco sufferers, to be given at the Metropolitan Opera House, has been completed. There are forty-five numbers on the bill, and in order that all may appear the performance will be continued until midnight.

BOMB EXPLODES.

Party Carrying It Killed and Companion Badly Injured.

Paris, May 3.—A bomb explosion occurred in the forest of Vincennes at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon, killing a Russian named Strie and dangerously wounding a companion named Boussoff. The two men were proceeding through the woods, each carrying a bomb, with the evident purpose of hiding them for future use. While so doing, the bomb which Strie carried exploded, killing him instantly. Boussoff was struck by fragments of the bomb and fearfully lacerated. The police have not yet been able to secure the identity and connections of the men. The remaining bomb has not yet been examined, owing to the danger in handling it.

Silven Turned Loose.

Dallas, May 3.—Owing to insufficient evidence Judge Muse, in criminal district court, ordered E. H. Silven, charged with murder in connection with a fire in the Kneply building, released from custody. Like action was taken Monday in charge of arson against him.

Congratulations Cabled.

Washington, May 3.—President Roosevelt cabled Manager Sullivan of the American team, which captured most of the Olympic game prizes at Athens, Greece, as follows: "Heartly congratulations to you and other Americans. Uncle Sam is all right."

Laundry Destroyed.

San Francisco, May 3.—A laundry in the rear of Magerial hospital at Presidio was destroyed by fire. Hospital, containing 1,000 patients, was saved.

Never Felt Better.

Paris, May 3.—The British embassy ridicules the alarming report concerning the condition of King Edward. His secretary says the king never felt better.

Nervous and Unsettled.

New York, May 3.—The stock market Thursday showed itself in rather a nervous and unsettled frame of mind after the experience of Wednesday's commotion.

Expires From Wound.

Coleman, Tex., May 3.—Jack Martin, a negro traveling with the Mollie Bailey show, was accidentally shot. He died.

RAILROAD CRIPPLED.

Lightning Kills a Man Near Denison and Boy Loses Life.

Denison, May 3.—Rain lasting almost forty-eight hours has seriously crippled railroads.

The most serious damage occurred on the Frisco between Denison and Red river. A piece of track made soft by the rain sank a few inches.

The Missouri, Kansas and Texas reports bad conditions prevailing between Denison and Greenville, on the Dallas division, and Denison and Whiteboro, on the Fort Worth division. A small washout occurred at Whitebright.

The rainfall in Denison for forty-eight hours ending at noon Wednesday was 5.34 inches. At noon the sky cleared, but later in the day there were again evidences that the storm was not over. Heavy green clouds in the northwest caused considerable uneasiness, as many feared a windstorm following the rain.

Lightning killed one man Wednesday, and also struck a barn, killing a fine team of horses.

At Gordonville Bert Gordon, aged eighteen, was crossing a field with a gun on his shoulder when he was struck by lightning and killed.

The barn of J. H. McEvedy was struck by lightning and two horses killed.

MUCH DAMAGE DONE.

Child Said to Have Been Fatally Injured by Storm.

McKinney, Tex., May 3.—A severe wind and rainstorm visited the northeast part of this county about 6:30 o'clock Tuesday evening, destroying many farm houses and injuring several people.

Two miles northwest of Blue Ridge much damage was done. A number of houses were demolished.

The list of injured, as far as can be ascertained, is as follows: Two children by the name of Smith, Mr. Titworth, Mrs. John Hollis and two children, several children of the Munday family and three members of Wood Young's family. None of the above were fatally injured except one of the Munday children.

The school house at Red Oak was blown about ten feet and turned around.

The Missouri, Kansas and Texas east-bound local had to return on account of the tracks being covered with water this side of Farmersville, at Sister Grove creek.

ONE ORGANIZATION.

General Board of Epworth League Favors This Step.

Birmingham, Ala., May 3.—At a meeting of the general board of the Epworth League it was decided to address the general Methodist conference in favor of consolidation of all young people's societies of the church into one organization. Reports of the work of the league during the past four years showed that its growth has been very rapid and conditions were generally satisfactory to the memorial board.

Vice President Fairbanks, who comes as a fraternal delegate of the Methodist Episcopal church, will remain until the 12th. He may address the general conference Friday of next week.

TOWN INUNDED.

Several Buildings Destroyed and All Wires Prostrated.

Memphis, May 3.—A Fort Smith special to the Commercial-Appeal says that the entire town of Huntington, Ark., was inundated, several buildings were destroyed and all wires were blown down in that vicinity by a rain and windstorm Tuesday night. Mansfield also suffered, a warehouse and two small buildings being destroyed. It is reported that several fatalities occurred, but no further details have been received. Crops are badly damaged.

FATAL FRUSTRATION.

Shot to Death by Father of Girl He Was to Elope With.

Memphis, May 3.—H. R. King was shot and killed, says a Pine Bluff special to the Commercial-Appeal, as he was preparing to elope with Miss Lola Eason at Pine Bluff. The girl's father, who did the deed, claims self defense.

Back at Appleby.

Houston, May 3.—A. P. Guynes, who was brought here from Appleby, at his request, has been returned to that place. The report that a mob was after him is without foundation. He claims he is the victim of his enemies.

Houston Next Year.

Asheville, N. C., May 3.—The eighth annual convention of the Woman's Home Mission board of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, chose Houston, Tex., as its next meeting place. Among appropriations were \$4,140 to Lission home at Dallas, Tex.

Superintendent of Insurance.

Albany, May 3.—Otto Kelsey of Geneva was appointed by Governor Higgins superintendent of insurance. His nomination was confirmed without opposition.

Old Locomotive Fireman Dies.

Hooker, Okla., May 3.—W. D. Crane, who fired the second locomotive entering Pueblo, Colo., is dead on his farm near here.

CONDENSED NEWS.

Dallas is to have two more skating rinks.

Tom Hood, a lad, was found dead in a boxcar at Shreveport; morphine.

The little daughter of A. H. Rodriguez strangled to death on a nut at Laredo.

Several Texans graduated at Tulane university, New Orleans, both as doctors and pharmacists.

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